

Project Title Mesa Community Action Network, Inc.

Contact Information Jan Krygier

635 East Broadway Mesa, AZ 85204 (480) 833-9200

AFI Grant Amount \$155,000

Nonfederal Support \$155,000

Project Period September 2001 – September 2006

Highlights Mesa Community Action Network, Inc. is offering 130

IDAs for homeownership, microenterprise, and postsecondary education. The match rate is \$2 to \$1 for homeownership and \$1 to \$1 for microenterprise and postsecondary education. Participant savings up to \$2,000 will be matched, over a 60 month period—the life of the project. In addition to core training, services include employment support, childcare, transportation, medical, structured planning exercises, mentoring, peer support,

counseling, credit repair, and specialized financial

education.

Target Population Mesa, Glendale, and Tempe, Arizona.

Grantee/Collaborative Description Mesa Community Action Network, Inc. is a Community

Action Agency. This project is an expansion of existing IDA programming. Partners in the project include NewTown CDC, Neighborhood Housing Services, Neighborhood Economic Development Corporation, and

The Centers for Habilitation. National Bank of Arizona is holding participant IDAs and the project reserve account.